

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

The Examiner's continued attention to the present application is noted with appreciation.

In the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment dated August 4, 2004, the Examiner noted that claim 59 cannot depend on cancelled claim 1. Applicant hereby submits a listing of amendments, that corrects that submitted as filed on June 29, 2004, to indicate that claim 59 depends on claim 1.


In addition to addressing the Examiner's Notice, Applicant submits new claims 110-113 that Applicant believes helps to better define the invention.

In view of the above amendments and remarks, it is respectfully submitted that all grounds of rejection and objection have been avoided and/or traversed. It is believed that the case is now in condition for allowance and same is respectfully requested.

If any issues remain, or if the Examiner believes that prosecution of this application might be expedited by discussion of the issues, the Examiner is cordially invited to telephone the undersigned attorney for Applicant at the telephone number listed below.

Respectfully submitted,

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